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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Canceled)

Claim 2. (Canceled)

Claim 3. (Currently Amended) A method of providing contact information regarding a user, the method comprising:

allocating a user-specific space in memory accessible over a computer network to a specific user;

associating a mobile communication device with the user;

determining a location of the user by receiving location information provided by a mobile communication device;

storing data indicative of the location of the user in the user-specific space;

receiving, from the user, additional data regarding the user;

storing the additional data regarding the user in the user-specific space;

receiving an access list of possible requesters of the data in the user-specific space;

providing the data indicative of the location of the user and the additional data regarding the user to possible requesters on the access list.

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Claim 4. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 3 wherein the additional data includes credit information.

Claim 5. (Currently Amended) A location relevant server system comprising:

a personal communication device (PCD) comprising a GPS receiver and wireless communication capability;

a GPS server receiving information indicating a location and a unique identifier associated with the PCD, the GPS server providing the PCD location and the unique identifier associated with the PCD to an application server;

the application server configured to execute a program upon receiving the location and the unique identifier information associated with the PCD to update a user specific data space with a current location and the unique identifier associated with the PCD, the application server further configured to allow different users different access to the application sever based on the identity of a user; and

wherein the application server is further configured to store information received from and concerning an individual associated with the PCD in the user specific data space.

Claim 6. (Cancelled)

Claim 7. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 5 wherein the application server is further configured to

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provide the information concerning the individual to a requester.

Claim 8. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 7 wherein the application server is further configured to modify data in the user specific data space.

Claim 9. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 8 wherein the data in the user specific data space includes contact information regarding the individual.

Claim 10. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 5 wherein the GPS server is further configured to determine satellites in view of the PCD and the relative Doppler offsets of the satellites.

Claim 11. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 5 wherein the GPS server is further configured to provide error correction processing, thereby allowing for reduced signal processing on the part of the PCD.

Claim 12. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 5 wherein the GPS server is further configured to perform probes of PCDs and receive indications of the locations of the PCDs.

Claim 13. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 5 wherein the GPS server is further configured to send PCD locations and identifiers to the application server.

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Claim 14. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 8 wherein the application server is configured to provide different information concerning the individual to different requesters.

Claim 15. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 13 wherein the user specific data space stores contact information regarding a user associated with the PCD.

Claim 16. (Canceled)

Claim 17. (Canceled)

Claim 18. (Withdrawn) A location-centric information system coupled to a centralized database for managing location and other relevant information, said system comprising a PCD utilized by an automobile user and the PCD in communication with a subscriber server, said system further configured to:

maintain information in the centralized database allowing individual users to be located in terms of their electronic communication locations;

maintain information in the centralized database pertaining to individuals and an Internet address linked to each individual, the Internet address indicating a home site computer system;

the home site computer system maintaining electronic contact information and a geographic location of the individual,

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and a security level index associated with information maintained by the home site computer.

Claim 19. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 18 wherein the security level index corresponds to a number between one and ten inclusive.

Claim 20. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 20 wherein the a security level index is assigned for each item of information.

Claim 21. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 20 wherein the security index level is applied on a per requester basis.

Claim 22. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 21 wherein unidentified requesters are provided a default security level index.

Claim 23. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 22 wherein the home site computer system authenticates the identity of a requester using a password received by the home site computer.

Claim 24. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 23 wherein the requester is only able to obtain information for the requester's security level index value and those values below the requester's security level index.

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Claim 25. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 24 wherein the electronic contact information includes at least one of home telephone number, office telephone number, cellular telephone number, fax number, and e-mail address.

Claim 26. (Withdrawn) The system according to claim 25 wherein the geographic location includes latitude and longitude and a street address.

Claim 27. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 9 wherein the contact information regarding the individual includes, phone, fax, and e-mail information.

Claim 28. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 15 wherein the contact information regarding the individual includes, phone, fax, and e-mail information.